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**Claim 26 (previously amended):** The method according to claim 19, further including undoped DBRs.

**Claim 27 (currently amended):** The method according to claim 16, ~~further effecting wherein~~ the VCSEL to exhibiting continuous wave operation at temperatures greater than about 80 degrees Celsius.

**Claim 28 (previously amended):** The method according to claim 20, further including an n-type InP and p-type InAlAs in the tunnel junction.

**Claim 29 (currently amended):** The method according to claim 16, further providing a thickness of about  $1-3\lambda$  times the optical wavelength to each of the heat spreading layers.

**Claim 30 (cancelled)**

**Claim 31 (currently amended):** A vertical-cavity surface-emitting laser (VCSEL) operating at a reduced temperature, the VCSEL comprising:

a first and a second reflecting surfaces in a VCSEL;

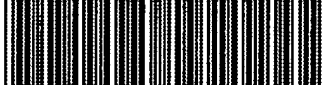
an active layer in the VCSEL;

a first and a second thermally conductive InP heat spreading layers in the VCSEL, said first heat spreading layer being in between the first reflecting surface and the active layer, and the second heat spreading layer being in between the second reflecting surface and the active layer; and

an at least one metal contact adjacent the first thermally conductive InP heat spreading layer for permitting current to be injected through the at least one InP heat spreading layer, the current bypassing the first reflecting surface; and

the first and second heat spreading layers allowing heat generated in the VCSEL to bypass the first and second reflecting surfaces due to the higher thermal conductivity of the first and second heat spreading layers relative to the first and a second reflecting surfaces, thereby reducing the temperature of the VCSEL.

**Claim 32 (cancelled)**

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